I hereby certify that this corre-ordence is being deposited with the United Attorney Docket No.: 20695C-003100US States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addessed to: Client Ref. No.: WM-206.00 Assistant Commissioner for Patents APR 2 2 2002 RECEIVED Washington, D.C. 20231 APR 2.5 2002 TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP TECH CENTER 1600/2900 Dana Kane IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re application of: Examiner: Michael V. Meller REDL et al. Art Unit: 1651 Application No.: 09/486,516 RESPONSE TO SUPPLEMENTAL RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT Filed: February 28, 2000 For: FIBRINOGEN-BASED TISSUE ADHESIVE CONTAINING AN **ELASTASE INHIBITOR** COPY OF PAPE ORIGINALLY FILE. Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir:

In response to the Supplemental Restriction Requirement mailed February 13, 2002, applicants submit the following. A petition for a one-month extension of time with appropriate fee accompanies this response, now due April 13, 2002.

Applicants elect the following species:

For claims 33-35, Applicants elect human proteins;

For claim 45, Applicants elect aprotinin, and so

For claim 47, Applicants elect betalactams.

Applicants also elect specie #1, the tissue adhesive with fibringen, elastase inhibitor and plasminogen.

Respectfully submitted,

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